GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Departmental Proceedings against Sri.P.Appala Naidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananathagiri (M), Visakhapatnam District for the irregularity committed by him while working as Tahsildar, Ananthagiri Mandal, Visakhapatnam District –under rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal)Rules – 1991 –Regular Inquiry conducted - Inquiry report submitted – Disciplinary action finalized – imposing penalty of stoppage of two annual grade increment without cumulative effect – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE –III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 992 Dated: 20-09-2017

Read the following:

1. From CCLA, Lr.No. VSII(1)/426/2013, Dt. 04.05.2015 along with the report of District Collector, Visakhapatnam, Lr.NO.106/2013-A1, Dt. 10.03.2015.
2. G.O Ms No 389 Rev (vig.III.2) Dept., dated 19.10.2015.
3. G.O.Rt.No.1034, Revenue (Vig.III) Dept., Dt. 19.10.2015.
4. WSD of Sri Sri.P.Appala Naidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananathagiri (M), Visakhapatnam District, Dt.11.03.2016
5. G.O.Rt.No.889, Revene (Vig.III) Dept., Dt. 17.08.2016.
6. Enquiry Report of DRO, Visakhapatnam, Rc No 106/2012/A1, Dt. 10.02.2017.
7. Govt. Memo No 18023/6/Vig.III(2)/2015 dated 04.04.2017.
8. Explanation of Sri.P.Appala Naidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananathagiri (M), Visakhapatnam District, dated 02.05.2017.

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O R D E R:

In the reference 1st read above, the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, has reported that, in Chippapalli Village of Ananthagiri Mandal of Visakhapatnam District, the revenue officials has issued irregular proceedings U/s.34-D and converted the Objectionable Government Land (Burial Ground) measuring an extent of Acs.26-25 Cents and 34-92 Cents respectively in Sy.Nos.21 & 31 of Chippapalli (V) of Ananthagiri Mandal from objectionable Government land i.e Smasanam (Burial Ground) to Zeroithy Patta and issued proceedings No.166/2009/JA, Dt.24.6.2001. The Collector, Visakhapatnam further reported that Sri.P.Appalanaidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananthagiri Mandal now working as Tahsildar, Payakarao Mandal has issued Pattadar Pass Book in collusion with the parties and also issued Zeroithi land certificates for registration purpose to the above mentioned lands with active support of the Mandal Revenue Inspector, & Village Revenue Officer, Chippappalli, Ananthagiri Mandal and committed serious irregularities duly converting the objectionable Government land (burial Ground) to Zeroithy and facilitated for registration. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration has requested the Government to initiate common disciplinary action against the following Revenue Officials as per Rule.20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 read with Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980 as one of the Alleged Officer has retired from service.

1. Sri.J.Dharama Rao, formerly Tahsildar, Ananthagiri Mandal (now Retired from Service on Dt.31.7.2011), Visakhapatnam District.
2. Sri.P.Appala Naidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananathagiri Mandal, Visakhapatnam District.
3. Sri.P.Polaraju, formerly Mandal Revenue Inspector, Ananthagiri Mandal, Visakhapatnam District.
4. Sri.K.Satyam, formerly Village Revenue Officer, Chippapalli Village, Ananthagiri Mandal, Visakhapatnam District.

2) In the reference 2nd read above, Government have initiated common disciplinary proceedings against all the above four (4) alleged officers under Rule 24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991. In the reference 3rd read above, Government have framed charges against Sri P. Appala Naidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananathagiri Mandal, Visakhapatnam District along with the other four (4) alleged officers and directed to submit their explanations if any.

3) In the reference 4th read above, Sri.P.Appala Naidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananathagiri Mandal, Visakhapatnam District has submitted his Written Statement of Defence and

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requested to drop further action against him. Government after careful examination of explanation submitted by all the Charged Officers have appointed District Revenue Officer, Visakhaptanam as Inquiry Officer to inquiry into the charges framed against above Charged Officers vide reference 5th read above.

4) In the reference 6th read above, the Inquiry Officer i.e., District Revenue Officer, Visakhapatnam has submitted his Inquiry Report on all the charged Officers, and stated that the charges framed against Sri.P.Appala Naidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananathagiri Mandal, Visakhapatnam District is held proved. In the reference 7th read above, Government have communicated the inquiry officer report to Sri.P.Appala Naidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananathagiri Mandal, Visakhapatnam District to offer his explanation. In the reference 8th read above Sri.P.Appala Naidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananathagiri Mandal, Visakhapatnam District has submitted his explanation and requested to drop further action against him. He did not submit any new grounds than those what he has submitted earlier in written statement of defence and before the Inquiry Authority.

5) Government after careful examination of the Inquiry report and explanation of Sri.P.Appala Naidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananathagiri Mandal, Visakhapatnam District have decided to impose penalty of withholding of two annual grade increments without cumulative effect against him. Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose penality of withholding of two annual grade increments without cumulative effect against Sri.P.Appala Naidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananathagiri Mandal, Visakhapatnam District.

6) The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada is requested to take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

MANMOHAN SINGH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri.P.Appala Naidu, formerly Tahsildar, Ananathagiri (M), Visakhapatnam District. (through District Collector, Visakhaptnam)
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
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